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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Examiner: Dinh Q. NGUYEN Oswald BAASCH et al. Group Art Unit: 3752 Serial No.: 10/751,638 Confirmation No.: 3102 Filed: January 6, 2004

For: FUEL INJECTOR NOZZLE ADAPTOR

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Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This amendment is submitted in reply to the Office action dated September 17, 2004, and is believed to be timely and admissible without payment for extensions of time. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the undersigned's deposit account No. 50-0206 for any fees due in conjunction herewith.

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